



PATENT 81674-264196

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Robert G. Gally, et al.

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SILICON ENGINE

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

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In accordance with Rule 136, Applicants respectfully petition the Commissioner for a three-month extension of time extending to May 28, 2001, the period for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated December 28, 2000. A check for \$890 and the responsive paper(s) are attached.

Please charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-3975. A copy of this petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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